

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Patrick Bernardelli, et al. :

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TITLE: SPIROCONDENSED QUINAZOLINONES AND :  
THEIR USE AS PHOSPHODIESTERASE  
INHIBITORS

**AMENDMENT AFTER NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE UNDER 37 CFR 1.312**

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Sir:

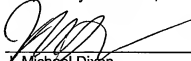
This Rule 312 Amendment is being submitted to correct a typographical error in claim 18. Claim 18 currently specifies that Q1 may be a C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub> alkylene group. This is a typographical error. It should read that Q1 may be a C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>8</sub> alkylene group. It is respectfully requested that this amendment be entered.

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Amendments to the claims start on page 2.

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